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NEW REGISTRANTS ARE BEING SUMMONED FOR EXAMINATION

First Contingent Will Report in Donora on Next Monday Morning

MEN ARE CALLED IN GROUPS

The registrant board of the Fifth District has called men who registered on the fifth of last June to appear for physical examination. They are to report at the borough building at Donora, at dates and hours specified by the board. the first contingent being directed to report next Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

3 Mike Evans, Donora.
4 David C. Cole, Donora.
12 Arnold Shafer, Lock No. 4.
13 James Parces, Charleroi.
16 Hugh Fraser, Donora.
19 Ellis Dolan, Brownsville.
22 Harold J. Haywood. R. F. D. 2, Monongahela.
23 James Hazelden, Charleroi.
27 HenryJ. Schroer, Donora.
30 James R. McLinden, Hazzard.
31 John J. Wolfe, Charleroi.
32 Bernard J. Vasbinder, New Eagle
33 John Manion, Lock No. 4.
37 Herchel H. Davenport, Monongahela.
41 James Washington, Charleroi.
43 Domenico Pantoni, Charleroi.
45 Robert R. McMahon, Monongahela.
46 Abraham S. Carson, Donora.
47 James W. Weaver, Lock 4.
53 Sam Makesolen, Monongahela
59 James Peebles, Donora.
61 John Behanna. Monongahela.

Called For 10 A. M. Monday 22, 1918

62 Carl S. DeCoursey, Donora.
63 Salvatore Villella, Donora.
66 Robert H. Jackson, Ivanhoe.
68 Robert H. Simpson, Monongahela
71 Carl E. Miksch, Lock 4.
72 Edgar W. Barrier, Donora.
73 Thomas McGinty, New Eagle.
74 Charles S. Ludwig, Charleroi.
75 Alfred B. Bostrom, Donora
76 John A. Spurgeon, Donora.
78 Clyde Baxter, New Eagle.
83 James P. McGregor. Monongahela.
84 Charles L. Tomlinson, Hazazrd.
88 Russell West, Charleroi.
90 Edw. N. Mercer, Monongahela.
92 John Pulaskia, Charleroi.
93 Albert J. Allridge, Monongahela.
96 Charles W. Barton, New Eagle, Pa.
97 Arthur Clendaniel. Donora.
99 Harry Clark, Monongahela.
103 Burley Carington, Jr., Monongahela.
104 Joseph P. Connelly, Donora.

Called For 11 A. M. Monday July 22.

106 Ronald R. Aitken, Brownsville
107 Morice Herent. Lock 4.
108 Gottfrid B. Svenson, Donora.
112 Edward R. Peters, Monongahela
113 Joseph H. Buhl, Monongahela.
115 Lawrence Henderson, Monongahela.
116 Grant Robinson, Donora.
119 James Ward, Hazzard.
121 William L. Cook, Charleroi.
127 Oakford H. Morris, Donora.
129 Walter Desellems, Lock 4.
131 Joseph Rubin, Donora.
132 Herman J. Silverman, Donora.
133 James Montana, New Eagle.
134 Dominico Lucidi, Hazel Kirk.
135 Frank J. Osterhout, Jr., Monongahela.
138 Henry Hauck, Donora.
139 Charles B. Gallatin, Donora.
141 William Lewis, Hazel Kirk.
144 John F. Burgoyne, Hazzard.
145 Leonard C. Healy, Monongahela.
147 William Miller, Lock 4.
151 Rubino Bianchi Monongahela.

BIG STEAMER IS PURCHASED

Capt. W. Harry Brown Takes Over Coal Packet John A. Wood

TO THOROUGHLY REPAIR BOAT

The steamer Jim Brown, with the big towboat John A. Wood in tow, passed up through Lock No. 4 Tuesday e vening for the marine ways at Alicia, above Brownsville. It transpires that Captain W. Harry Brown has purchased the steamer and it is said proposes to put her on the docks where she will be thoroughly overhauled a nd placed in shape for further service.

The Wood is one of the largest towboats ever operated on western and southern waters and was built by John A. Wood & Son a number of years ago when this firm was one of the leading coal operators on the Monongahela valley. The Wood was used e xclusively in towing coal from Pittsburg to Louisville and New Orleans, the major porton of her work being done off the Mississippi. The steamer is of 687 tons burden, is 198 feet long and 50 feet beam, with 7 feet depth of hold. She is fitted with compound machinery, which is in first class shape, and with repairs to her woodwork, which will likely be very extensive, the boat will be in splendid condition for towing purposes.

What Capt. Brown proposes to do with the boat is a mater of conjecture, but evidently he has some purpose in view, which will later develop He is making new coal openings on the Monongahela river, and itmay be he is preparing to enter the lower river trade n ot only for a coal market but likewise for the transportation of heavy f reight. It is also reported he has purchased the steamer Jim Wood. another large lower river boat, but this has not been confirmed.

Council Busy At An Adjourned Session

A special meeting of council was held Wednesday evening at the borough building with all members present except Duvall.

A petition was presented, signed by a part of the property owners on Fourth street, asking for the grading of Fourth street from Lincoln to Lookout avenue. The matter was laid over until a future meeting of council.

Delbert Carson asked for a sidewalk grade in front of his property on Shady avenue and the borough engineer was instructed to givethe desired grade. Also one for Jules DeRoy at thecorner of Second street and Meadow avenue. Both of these property owners will put in permanent sidewalks.

In the matter of paving on Lookout avenue, between 7th and 8th streets, council decided to ask the solicitor's opinion as to proceedure. Council has been endeavoring to get an expression from the contractors, but so for wthout avail.

Council accepted an invitation to attend a flag raising at the plant of the Macbeth-Evans glass company, Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, at which time an emergency fleet flag will be raised.

A bid was received from Mr. Redd to furnish c oal to the garbage furnace for the coming year at $3.10 per ton. The bid was accepted.

The bid of Wm. Armbruster for raising the curb on the east side of Lincoln avenue at the foot of 8th street, for $380, was accepted.

The borough clerk was instructed to notify Thomas Arrigo to repair paving in front of the decorating plant on Lincoln avenue, work which he had done on contract.

Grade ordinance for McKean alley between Sixth and Seventh streets, passed finally. Grade ordinance for east side of Lookout avenue, between Seventh and Eighth streets, passed first reading and ordered printd.

Mr. DePalma entered a protest against the proposed grade at the corner of Lookout avenue and Eighth street. Council will inspect the premises in a body Friday evening, after w hich a decison may be reached.

ALLEGED CHICKEN THIEF KILLED

While trying to break into the chicken coop on the farm of Jasper Redd at VanVoorhis in Fallowfield township, Alexander Cernosky was shot and fatally wounded early Wednesday morning by Neil Daugherty, son-in-law of Mr. Redd. The shooting occurred about one o'clock in the morning.

Mr. Redd heard a noise in the chicken coop and on going out found Cernosky trying to break in. Redd grabbed Cernosky and a fight followed, during which Redd called for help. Mr. Daugherty heard his call and rushed out with a shotgun. Seeing that Mr. Redd was getting the worst of the encounter Daugherty fired twice, fatally wounding Cernosky. The latter was removed immediately to the Memorial hospital at Monongahela where he died shortly after being admitted.

Mr. Daugherty in company with Mr. Redd went to Monongahela, where the situation was explained to Justice Elwood, who advised them to go to Washington and appear before the district atorney, who put Mr. Daugherty under $1500 pending the result of thecoroner's inquest. He furnished bond.

St. Jerome's Red Cros Knitting Auxilary will meet this evening at 8 o'clock with Mrs. Mary Ryland at the Hotel Wellington.

Mrs. C. J. Mogan, Pres.
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ELLSWORTH BOY VICTIM OF BULLET

John Maroney aged 10 years son of Mrs. Laura Marroney of Ellsworth was accidentally s hot at that place Wednesday evening and was taken to the Mercy hospital Pitsburg with but little hope entertained for his recovery.

The boy was playing at the carnival grounds of the Davis Amusement [illegible] there, and a carnival employe known as "Bill" was fooling with a 32-calibre automatic revolver, when it was discharged. The bullet went through the boy's arm lodged in his left breast an inch from his heart.

He was taken at once to the Emergency Hospital and then removed to Pittsburg being brought in to Charleroi on the 7 o'clock car and then taken by train to the city. The physician who attended him said the wound was a serious one.

The shooting caused a great deal of excitement at the time and there was talk of lynching but the counsel of cooler heads prevailed. "Bill" was arrested and placed in the lockup at Ellsworth and will be held pending the outcome of the boy's wound. It is said t hat members of the carnival company have been very free in the use of guns in showing off before the boys who loaf about the grounds.

A man in Washington county is advocating the use of horse meat. He has our permission to eat all he wants of it.

TWO STEAMERS WILL BE PLACED IN THE STEUBENVILLE TRADE

Now Undergoing Repairs at Marine Ways at Elizabeth

BOTH ARE WELL KNOWN BOATS

The Pittsburg Coal company, operating the M. R. C. C. & C. company has the steamers Fallie and W. K. Field on the marine ways at Elizabeth, where each of them is being thoroughly overhauled, preparatory to placing them exclusively in the Pittsburg and Steubenville coal trade. It will take some time to complete the contemplated repairs on these boats, both of which were familiar figures on the Ohio river when coal shipments south were features of the Monongahela river trade. By placing these boats in this trade, it will relieve several of the pool boats of this work w hich they now have to do in order to take careof fuel contracts with mills in and about Steubenville. The boats will be placed in the water just as soon as the contemplated repairs are finished.

When they have been launched the steamer Voyager, which has been on the ways for several weeks. undergoing a complete and thorough overhauling, will also be put in the river. The Voyager will be practically a new boat when placed in commission again. A new hull two feet wider than theold and with com[illegible] chinery installed [illegible] the [illegible] steamer was wrecked in the heavy ice of last winter and after being raised was placed on the ways for repairs. A complete new cabin has been placed on the boat, and other repairs made which will put her in first class condition for the local trade. The Voyager and the Jenkins are two of the oldest boats on the Monongahela river the former being built by the firm of W. H. Brown's Sons and thelatter by the firm of T. M. Jenkins & Co. Both were taken over at the time of the formation of the coal combine twenty years ago.

TWILIGHT BALL GAMES AT FAYETTE CITY

While Sunday base ball will not be played at Fayette City twilight games will be arranged for, the first one to be played Thursday evening beginning at 6:15 o'clock with the Pittsburg Collegians. No Saturday ball will be played there, as most of the players are with the Monongahela team.

WILL REPAIR RIVER BRIDGE

Pittsburgh Firm Takes Contract to Make Needed Improvements

WILL STRENGTHEN ONE PIER

At the joint meeting of the county commissioners, controller and engineers of Fayette and Washington counties, at Uniontown on Tuesday, the contract for the improvement of the Speers-Belle Vernon river bridge was awarded to the Farris Engineering company of Pittsburg. The contract price is $12,623. The work among other things, [illegible] pair of one of the piers, which has split from thetop to bottom. It will be bound about with steel bands. Other repairs and improvements will also be made to the bridge. which will materially strengthen the structure. which has been considered somewhat weakened by the injury to the pier which apparently has settled to such an extent as to cause the stone work to crack and break in a dangerous way. Work on this contract will begin at once and will be pushed to completion as fast as possible.

GARDEN PICTURE FRIDAY EVENING

The taking of the War Garden picture on the Sphar farm, Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock had to be postponed on account of unfavorable weather. However, all owners of war gardens in that section have been advised to be there between 5 and 6 o'clock Friday evening at which time it is hoped to have the picture taken. The photographer says the location is fine for a splendid picture and all those interested are urged to be on hand at the hour designated.

Reports say the Germans are gaining in some places by inches. And they are going to lose by the foot.

Notice.

Sixth annual Malta Outing at Kennywood Park Saturday July 20. 1918.

Excursion Boat will leave Lock No. 4 at 8:30 a. m. Saturday July 20, 1918 for Kennywood Park. Dancing and music. Excursion rates, adults over 12, $1.00. children under 12 free. Everybody welcome.

Committee.
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Notice to Tax Payers

School and Borough taxes are now payable at 600 Fallowfield avenue.

Fred W. Brady, Tax Collector
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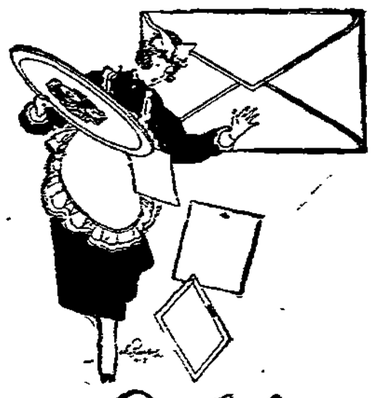

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MEETING THE HUN.

The American soldiers have met the Hun in one of his great offensive movements and the result has been to shed more lustre and glory on the valor of the boys in khaki. Reports from the battle front indicate that the Germans pointed a terrific onslaught at the Americans who held the salient in the vicinity of Chateau-Thierry, on the bank of the Marne river in the hope of penetrating the Yanks' line and thus opening the way to Paris.

However, the Hun's program was not carried out. The Americans gave a little ground early in the day but in the afternoon they organized a counter attack and what they did to the Germans was a-plenty. They drove them back to the river and across the stream, capturing and killing many of them, at the same time destroying the pontoons which the Germans used in crossing the Marne. It was a glorious feat for the American arms, and showed the stuff of which the boys of Uncle Sam are made

They have showed their superiority to the Huns, and while intense fighting may be resumed on this drive the American officers believe the boys will be able to hold the Germans at all points.

It must have indeed been a surprising to the Huns, whose choicest troops were selected to go against the Americans, to meet with such a sudden counter-attack. And that it was accurately arranged and splendidly executed is shown by the success attained. Only men of the First Corps were involved in the battle, but when the others shall be called upon they will give as good an account of themselves as these who have now earned the title of veterans.

CONSERVING FOOD

From the number of visitors who attended on the various lectures and demonstrations at the Food Conservation train, which was in Charleroi on Wednesday, it is evident that the housewives of our community are vitally interested in the preservation and conservation of food stuffs. The baking, the canning and the conservation were all exemplified and in a most interesting manner.

Heretofore conservation of our foodstuffs has not bothered the average housekeeper of our country. They were content to take things as they came, always feeling assured there would be plenty, so why should they worry. The war, however, has caused us to take stock of our resources, and the necessity of conserving them to the full extent of our ability. We are in the midst of a great war; we are faced with the necessity of taking care of our allies and in keeping them supplied with foodstuffs. This we can do, providing we take care of the food we produce.

In former days who raised quantities of foodstuffs saved the major portion of them, this being particularly true of the farmers. While this habit of thrift continued in many lacalities, there where others in which thecustom was dropped,and as a consequence many people became consumers instead of producers. Now we are faced about and told that everyone, no matter who, can be a conserver of food; that it is easily done and that every home has the necesary equipment to take part in this great country-wide movement.

The Food Conservation Train has done an immense amount of good in Charleroi and the results of its visit will be apparent for years to come.

The way of the "slacker" is hard. The police departments of different cities are after him and he has no safe refuge. Many men of draft age managed to escape registration in 1917 and have kept out of the way of the authorities ever since, but during the last few weeks he has been having his troubles. All of the larger cities are after him so persistently that before long he is apt to walk into draft headquarters voluntarily and give himself up. The government is going to give this class of men no peace—for them it is run or fight with chances favoring his induction into the army.

"DON'T IT JEST BEAT ALL!"

Colonel's Orderly Has an Altogether Unflattering Opinion of French Intelligence.

Red, the colonel's orderly, stood in the doorway picking his teeth. Red is six feet two inches tall, and disproportionately narrow. He is a member of a regiment recruited in the Middle West, but he hails from the Panhandle of Texas, and betrays the fact every time he opens his mouth. At the moment of our approach he was addressing an unseen and presumably a sympathetic listener beyond the threshold:

"Me, I'm plum' outdone with these here French people," I heard him drawl. "Here we've been camped amongst 'em fer goin' on four months and they ain't learnt English yet. You'd think they'd want to know how to talk to people in a reg'lar honest-to-God language—but no, seein' seemin'ly not a-tall. I'd be ashamed to be so ignorant and show it. Course oncet in a while you do run acrost one of 'em that's picked up a word here and there; but that's about all.

"Now f'instance you take that nice-lookin' little woman with the black eyes and the shiny teeth that runs that there little store in this here last town we stayed a spell in before we come on up here. I never could remember the name of that there town—it was so outlandish soundin'—but you remember the woman, don't you? Well, there's a case in p'int. She was bright enough lookin', but she was like all the rest—it seemed like she jest couldn't pick up enough reg'lar words to help her git around. Ef I went in her place and asked her fer sardines she'd know whut I meant right off and hand 'em over, but ef I wanted some cheese she didn't have no idea whut I was talkin' about. Don't it jest beat all?"—Irvin S. Cobb in the Saturday Evening Post.

MANY USES FOR SANDBAG

Soldiers Employ It in a Number of Ways Besides What It Is Officially Intended For.

The sandbag is one of the most useful pieces of military equipment found anywhere and the soldier puts it to manifold uses. Their official use, of course, is to be filled with sand or clay and built into ramparts, barricades and trenches. Their unofficial uses are legion.

The infantryman always uses a sandbag for carrying and storing his rations, for patching and re-enforcing his clothing, for lining and curtaining his dugout, for muffling mallets and stakes when putting up wire in No Man's Land. They make excellent gaiters, being tied on over the puttees as a further protection against mud and damp. They make cozy mufflers in bad weather. They are used to cover shrapnel helmets to prevent reflection, and they are frequently in demand for rifle covers.

Many soldiers always pull two sandbags over their feet and legs when going to bed in billets; in other words, the sandbag is Tommy's pajamas. The warmth and comfort of a burlap sandbag when pulled over chilled feet is astonishing.

The postman's mailbag at the front is nothing more than an empty sandbag, and the water carriers also use two sandbags, slung back and front over the shoulder, each containing a petrol tin full of water.

"The war will be over," a soldier wit once said, "when all of Belgium and France has been put into sandbags."

Birds Finally Agreed.

A family of robins and a family of bluebirds are occupying the same house, something quite unusual in bird lore, E. M. Cashman, caretaker of the Altoona (Pa.) reservoir, has reported.

Mr. Cashman has erected a number of bird boxes on the watershed and he watches over his charges lovingly. When Papa and Mamma Bluebird came north this spring they were horrified to find their little cozy birdbox was occupied. That is, a pair of robins, arriving a week earlier, had started to build a nest on the tiny porch of the house. A wordy battle started, which lasted for several days. The bluebirds wanted the robins to move.

The robins maintained their position. And then, quite suddenly, hostilities ceased. Investigating, Mr. Cashman found the bluebirds were building a nest inside the box, while the robins made themselves comfortable on the porch. Then both mothers sat on a nest of eggs.

Upbuilds Chinese Army.

Ken Wang, twelfth graduate in the 1919 class at West Point academy, a year ahead of time, announced that he will return to China to take part in the upbuilding of its new army.

Ken Wang was selected to come to America to be educated in the best military academy in the world expressly for the part he is to play in bringing military coherence into Chinese army affairs.

Discouraged.

"I've given up trying to keep a hired girl."

"What's the matter?"

"I've come to the conclusion that when it comes to paying wages I can't compete with a munitions factory."

Heat Sufferer.

"Suffer much from the heat?"

"I should say so. Nearly had a sunstroke rushing around to lay in next winter's coal."

"NO SHADOW ON HER FACE"

Writer Tells of English Woman Who Has Given All She Had to the Country.

We English do not read our casualty lists any more. Many of us dare not. When we meet, we do not even speak of those who have gone away. A very touching thing was told me by one of my neighbors. He was the last of twenty-four officers in one of the Gordon regiments. He said that the places were just filled up as soon as they were emptied, and they never spoke of those who had fallen. That brings the reality of the thing to you.

In my own little country—Scotland—you will find many, many villages from which the Highland regiments have been recruited. There are no boys left to come back. They are all dead.

Not many weeks before I came to this country I was up in the Gordon country, and on a Sunday night I was speaking in a church on the spiritual side of the war. At the close a woman came to me, a little, simple, country woman, dressed in the uniform of the Gordon Highlanders, holding a yellow missive, which I, alas, knew too well. "The war office department regrets to inform ——— that ——— was killed in action." She laid this little missive beside one of the portraits, and said, "That came yesterday. That's Jimmie. He's the last of the three." "I hear you are going to America. Will you tell American mothers I have given all my lads? I had only three and I would give six, if I had them, for the same cause." Another friend of mine has given all her five sons. She is a widow and she has none left; but she is working in one of the canteens with no shadow on her face.—Mrs. A. Burnett-Smith in the Atlantic Monthly.

ROSE CLIMBS THREE STORIES

College-Bred Flowers That Nestle in Ivy-Covered Wall of University of Washington.

They are college-bred roses and their high education seems to have had a very elevating effect on their aspirations. Students on the University of Washington campus recently noticed on an ivy-covered wall of Denny hall, way up on a level with the third floor windows, a spray of coppery roses, the Seattle Post-Intelligencer says. The branch which bears them reaches out from the heavy ivy vines, and is the only sign of a rosebush in the neighborhood.

Some curiosity was aroused as to whether the flower was grafted on the ivy or whether it was rooted in the wall. Neither supposition was found to be correct. A number of years ago the rose blossomed modestly near the ground. Then either the crowding of the ivy or the lofty ambitions inspired by the intellectual surroundings forced it to shoot up so that it could extend its blossoms to the sun just outside of the windows used by the public-speaking and Spanish departments.

Its long, branchless stem is covered by the ivy and its top flourishes in the soft and musical sounds from the Spanish room and the forceful oratory from the public speakers.

Look at the Hat Cords.

A military man can immediately tell to what division a soldier belongs by glancing at the cord on his hat, but to the average citizen the color of the hat cord denotes little or nothing.

It is an interesting feature to be familiar with, especially now when so many soldiers are seen all over the country, and anyone who takes the trouble to learn the following list will be rewarded by being able to satisfy his own curiosity respecting any soldier he happens to see without having to ask questions: A cord of light blue signifies that the wearer belongs to the infantry; red denotes artillery; yellow, cavalry; buff, quartermaster's corps; orange and white, signal corps; red and white, engineers' corps; red and black, ordnance; black and white, field clerk; maroon and white, medical corps; black and gold, officers; silver and black, adjutant general's clerk; green, instructor home guards, and green and white, home guards.

German General Staff.

The German general staff is not the creation of the kaiser. It is the creation of the army, and in Germany the army is the nation. In the old days, when the principality of Brandenburg was becoming the state of Prussia, it was the elector who governed with unchecked, autocratic authority. Even when Brandenburg had become Prussia the kings of Prussia dominated and owned the country as completely as the head of the house dominated the family, or the manufacturer owned his business. The cabinet of the great elector, the tobacco parliament of Frederick William, the Potsdam library of Frederick the Great, these have merged into the offices of the general staff, in which is consecrated the surrender of the state to the army and of the army to the army chiefs.

Such a Relief.

She put down the book with a sigh.

"What is it, darling?" he asked.

"Ah, dearest, I'm so happy," she replied.

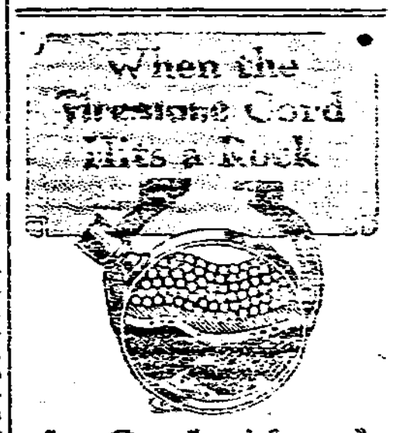
"But you had such a sad look in your eyes just now."

"I know. I've been reading about the unhappiness that the wives of men of genius have always had to bear. Oh, Alfred, dear, I'm so glad you're just an ordinary sort of a fellow."—Stray Stories.

PITTSBURG STEEL WILL PLAY McKEESPORT TEAM

The Pittsburg Steel base ball team will meet the McKeesport nine at the local park next Saturday afternoon, game being called at 3:30 o'clock. Osborne's athletes are "going strong" just now and no doubt will give the visitors plenty of action.

Joy riding may not beso popular on Sunday as heretofore, now that the garages are to be closed on that day. For what's a fellow "gonna" do if he should run out of gas, or needed some important repairs?



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Millie Newton, 215 McKean avenue Charleroi will give violin lessons to a limited number of pupils. 20-tf

FOR SALE

Block of 5 lots McKean avenue, $11,000.

Modern brick dwelling McKean, $11,000.

Six room dwelling McKean avenue near Eighth street, $4,200.

Lot on Crest avenue near Seventh street 50x250, $2,500.

Lot corner Eleventh and Oakland, $350.

I. R. BLYTHE and SON
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Louis Horvath, Sr., late of the borough of Charleroi, Washington county, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters of administration in the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, al persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims to present the same without delay to.

David M. McCloskey, Atty.
Charleroi, Pa.

Louis Harvath, Adm.
Charleroi, Pa.
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EVERY MEAL A POISONOUS INJECTION.

Few folks suffering from kidney and bladder troubles ever think that the meals which they are taking are hastening their death. Every morsel of food takes up its quantity of uric acid. This poison is taken into the system through a diseased condition of the kidneys and badder. In the healthy man nature provides an outlet for this poison. Those in ill-health must take a medicinal help to drive this death-dealing poison from the system. For over 200 years GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules have been doing this work. They effect prompt relief in all diseases arising from kidney and bladder troubles. Don't put off this vital mater of attending to your health until it is time to make your funeral arrangements. Get a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsuls to-day. Look for the genuine. Your druggist sells them. They are guaranteed or money refunded. Insist on GOLD MEDAL Brand.

SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES

Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoes and sprinkled in the footbath. The Plattsburg Camp Manual advises men in training to use Foot-Ease in their shoes each morning. It prevents blisters and sore spots and relieves painful, swollen, smarting feet and takes the sting out of corns and bunions. A certain relief for sweating, callous, tired, aching feet. Always use Allen's Foot-Ease to break in new shoes. Sold everywhere, 25c

CHICHESTER S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter-s Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER-S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

Stop! Look! Listen!

Lots at Lock Four. Cash or payments. Five rooms and bath, McKean avenue. Eight room hous Lookout avenue. Five rooms, Crest avenue. One lot McKean avenue and other good bargains. See

A. L. DUBINSKY
412 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi, Pa.

Victory Pending

War Prohibition NOW Before the Senate

Emergency Demands Quick Action

A SMASHING BLOW NOW

For the overthrow of Kaiser Alcohol means the defeat of Kaiser Wilhelm.

The final fight is on. You can make Victory sure.

Your telegram, your letter to your Congressman and Senators will help gain war prohibition, speed victory and hasten the homecoming of our boys from overseas.

If you have wired your Congressman and Senators before, Wire Again. The soldier at the front does not hope to win with one shot, do you?

If your Representatives at Washington favor Prohibition, let them know you are with them. Your telegrams will furnish them the best ammunition they can use in the fight.

Get your neighbors and friends to wire. Conscript every one who wants to help the U. S. A. to win the war. The emergency demands there shall be no slackers—a telegram or a letter from every loyal patriot to down a pro-German trade.

Stand by the President in his effort to send to the front an ARMY BIG ENOUGH TO WIN THE WAR. Free the three hundred thousand able-bodied men now employed in the Drink trade for service at the front, or on the farm.

Stand by Secretaries Baker and Daniels in their effort to strengthen the Army for Victory and through war prohibition add a half a million men to our fighting forces whom drink unfits for service and production.

Stand by the Food Administration and bring to pass the recently expressed desire of MR. HOOVER that the waste of four and a half million bushels of grain per month may be stopped by the voice of the American people.

WHY HELP IN THIS FIGHT?

Because Prohibition strengthens the U. S. A. for Victory.

The Prohibition West sets the Shipbuilding pace for the World; the bone-dry cities of Portland and Seattle hold World Records in building complete steel ships ready for cargo and fastest wooden ships constructed.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels recently testified in the Senate Committee, "Not a single workman has shown disaffection because of prohibition," and "Since the dry order, the Mare's Island yard established a world's record in the time to launch a destroyer."

James Duncan, President Seattle (Wash.) Labor Council, wired President Wilson that Seattle's world shipbuilding record "is because of organization and PROHIBITION

The Ton Output of American shipbuilders in the Dry West is one and a quarter times greater than in the Wet East, and twice greater than England.

While Gompers was on his feet, before the Senate Committee insulting labor with the declaration that the workingmen "must have their beer," a telegram from the representatives of 600,000 trade-unionists asking for war Prohibition, came to the committee.

An army of dry war workers to build ships is as necessary as a dry fighting army or a dry navy. By wiring Congress you will help drive booze out of the Shipyards.

SEND YOUR TELEGRAM BECAUSE OF THE COAL SHORTAGE

"In many cities there were long lines of people waiting last winter, for supplies of coal."—U. S. Official Bulletin.

Old King Coal was a sorry old soul, for he knew that the liquor traffic and not coal shortage was responsible for heatless days and lightless days, closed schools and open saloons. Did your factory, business, and home need coal, while the brewers of the Country used in 1917 over 3,000,000 tons and the saloons used probably as much more? A Memorial sent to President Wilson last fall by 500 Pennsylvania coal operators estimated that drink decreased coal production 10 to 15 per cent. At the smaller figure this would mean a reduction of 63,500,000 tons output, which added to amount used by breweries and saloons, makes a total loss of nearly 70,000,000 tons.

This unpatriotic waste of coal caused our heatless and lightless days. There will be more of them unless we have War Prohibition Now.

Don't shut down the factories, but shut up the breweries. Close the saloons and open the schools. Coal our warships to carry soldiers and food across the seas for speedy victory.

Your telegram will help win the war.

Your telegram Now for War Prohibition will help America to feed and free the World.

WIN THE WAR TELEGRAM

To the United States Congress,
Care of your two Senators
and Representatives.

Washington, D. C.

In your own words, wire Congress requesting immediate Bone-Dry National Prohibition as a War Measure.

IMPORTANT: Do it today---niw.

NATIONAL PROHIBITION COMMITTEE
326 West Madison Street, Chicago

Any funds sent will be used to further publicity campaign

KEPT TAX-GATHERER BUSY

Imposts Were Levied on Almost Everything in England a Century and a Half Ago.

It is interesting to note that the entertainment tax of the present day was anticipated over 150 years ago by the inventive genius who proposed that all places of public diversion including playhouses, operas, masquerades, Ranelagh, Vauxhall, Sadler's Wells and Astley's—the famous resorts of the fair and the fashionable of his day—should be taxed, says London Tit-Bits. Another proposal was that the very statues in the gardens—and the lakes and the groves, the grottoes and the temples of those days were thick set with statues of heathen gods and goddesses—should have a price put upon their heads.

Time was when taxes were put on the watches attached to the seals that dangled from the fobs of the beaux or hung on the girdles that encircled the waists of the belles. Those who owned clocks were also regarded as fit subjects for special taxation.

The "guinea-pig" tax—the tax a householder had to pay for every person in his household who wore a pigtail and covered his hair with powder—had its day and passed away. So, too, had a tax on soap—the impost that gave Lord North his nickname of "Old Soapsuds"—and a tax on salt. Gloves and mittens were once taxed, and so also were scores of other articles and the shops in which they were sold.

JUST HOLDING PAL'S PLACE

"Blind" Beggar Gives Somewhat Laughable Reason for His Presence on That Particular Corner.

Professor Walker was standing at the corner of One Hundred and Tenth street and Fifth avenue waiting for a bus, when his attention was attracted by the rattle of a few coppers in a tin cup held by a blind man who was squatted against the park wall, relates the New York Times.

The professor was fumbling for a small coin when the bus swung round the corner and in his hurry to catch it he tossed the penny toward the cup as he turned away. His aim not being good the coin was on its way to the ground when the beggar swung the cup under it with all the skill and dexterity of a ball player.

The professor was so astonished and indignant that he allowed the bus to go and approached the pretended blind man.

"Here," he began, "you are not blind. I saw you catch that penny. You are a fraud."

"Yes, boss," admitted the beggar, "you has it right. I ain't blind myself, but you see this here corner is a good stand and if the blind man that always sits here was to leave it some other blind man would see the place and grab it. So you see, boss, I'm just holding the place for the real blind man. It's his afternoon off. He's gone to the movies."

Beavers Teach Engineers.

A group of Uncle Sam's army engineers received an unexpected lesson in engineering at Bronx park. They learned in the space of one hour how to repair a broken dam and prevent a disastrous flood. Their instructors were nine beavers, who were romping in the water of the pond. Above them was a dam 200 feet long and several feet high. Suddenly came a rush of water. The swollen stream broke into a torrent. Old man Beaver appealed to his offspring and the eight sprang after him. They seized pieces of timber, earth, rocks and sod. They worked with feverish haste. Stone by stone and timber by timber the water was slowly held back. One hour after the water broke the dam was repaired. "If we can hold the Huns like those chaps stopped that flood of water the war will be over in six months," commented one of the officers. "I reckon science hasn't taught us so much, after all," said a bystander. "Those beavers know more about their specialty than we do about war or building canals."—New York Tribune.

Gas Masks and Whiskers.

To be clean shaven or bearded like the pard is the alternative presented to the German first-line troops. The reason is the gas mask. Some authorities hold that the mask cannot be relied upon to protect any but clean-shaven faces; others again hold that a dense hirsute growth within the mask acts as an additional air filter. But it must be a real patriarchal beard—no mere 7 or 14 days' bristles, says an article in the Deutsche Tageszeitung. The writer holds that the full beard is a [illegible] Teutonic attribute, and should be cultivated as such. Besides, [illegible] to ancient traditions, it [illegible] ghtful aspect," he [illegible] tests at the front in airtight cubicles are carried out every fortnight, and full-bearded men testify to the additional security afforded by their beards.

Could Not Save Comrade.

A fruitless but daring attempt to rescue a man under the most unfavorable conditions was recently made by William R. Ransford, a seaman of the national naval volunteers, and Allen J. Jackson, a wardroom cook. The man lost was a seaman named W. A. Wells. He slipped and fell overboard from the forward turret of the U. S. S. Iowa. It was cold weather and the water was full of floating ice. Nevertheless Ransford and Jackson went overboard after the man, but were too late to save him from drowning.

CLASSIC DRAMA IN JAPAN

Both Chorus and Music Accompany the Pantomime of the Actors on the Stage.

The actors—sons of the sons of generations of actors passing on as a legacy of great price to the right to act in these strange "No" plays of old Japan—entered and made their exits by way of the bridge. At their approach, Gertrude Emerson writes in Asia, unseen hands lifted and held back a curtain of persimmon and iris colored silk that hung at the door of the dressing room. Their costumes had wide skirtlike trousers and all the fires and conflagrations of an autumn wood or a mountain forest burned in the color of the brocades. Sometimes they had the streaming white hair of ghosts. They stamped with their white stockinged feet on the polished floor, which gave out a muffled echo. With their flowing sleeves they hid their faces, turning and swaying in rhythmic dances. With their fans they wrote the meaning of their dances in the air—the climbing of a mountain path to a forsaken shrine, a gift of water to a weary pilgrim, the picking of herbs, the flight of a bird across the sky, the falling of flowers—or of tears. The chorus sang in suppressed tones, holding their breath interminably, explaining, now the action, now the thoughts passing through the mind of the actor. The musicians beat on their drums and above all other sounds wailed the flute, thin and tremulous, piercingly sad, like a lost soul tormented of demons.

FROM CABBAGES TO KINGS

Writer Impressed by Accumulation of Subject Matter of Every Description in Print.

Perhaps the most valuable instrument for perpetuation is the printing press, writes Bruce Cummings in Science Progress. No sooner is an event over than it is reported in the daily press, and the newspaper preserved in the British museum for all time.

Within the sacred rotunda of the British museum reading room may be perused the novels of Charles Garvice, as well as the great Chinese encyclopedia of the Emperor Kiang-hi in 5,020 volumes.

In books our knowledge to date is rounded up and displayed; you may read a book on a lump of coal, a grass blade a sea worm, on hair combs, carpets, ships, sticks, sealing wax, cabbages, kings, cosmetics, Kant. A very thick volume indeed was published last year upon the thorax of a field cricket. It would require a learned man to catalogue the literature that deals with such comparatively trivial subjects as the history of the Punch-and-Judy show, or the history of playing cards.

At the present rapid rate of accumulation the time must come when the British museum thousands of years hence, will occupy an area as large as London, and the Encyclopedia Britannica be housed in a building as big as the Crystal palace; an accumulation of learning to make Aristotle and Scaliger turn pale.

Airplane Needs Strong Wood.

A modern airplane propeller is one of the strongest and most perfect products of man's handicraft.

Some airplane engines run at 1,700 revolutions a minute and can be geared up to 2,000. An engine of this power would use a nine-foot-six-inch propeller and the speed of the blade ends would be in the neighborhood of 600 miles an hour.

Revolving at this terrific rate, the slightest imperfection in the wood from which the propellers are made would tend to disrupt them and cause them to fly to pieces.

For this reason only the best and hardest wood from the heart of the tree is used for propeller blades. It takes 2,000 feet of timber in the rough to furnish 200 feet of wood good enough for propellers.

Black walnut is the very best kind of wood for propeller blades, for, besides being immensely tough, it does not splinter when hit by a projectile. Next in the order named, come mahogany, white oak, ash, maple, birch and cherry.

No Alimony From Soldiers.

The supreme court of New York state has no power to enforce an order for alimony against a soldier in the United States army, declared Justice Aspinall in the supreme court in Brooklyn in the case of Mrs. Florence Merriman against Rapley P. Merriman, a private. It is the first decision of its kind here. Justice Aspinall gave the opinion in acting upon the request of Mrs. Merriman's attorney, who demanded Merriman be forced to pay $40 on the first business day of each month. "It is obvious that the defendant could not comply with a direction that he pay $40 on the first business day of each month," said the justice, "when $40 is more than the rate of pay of his grade, and the time of payment of a soldier is necessarily very irregular."—New York Evening Sun.

No Respite.

"Hooray!" shouted the boy in the brown sweater. "Our teacher is going to France and be a Red Cross nurse."

"What good is that to us?" objected the boy in the scout suit. "They'll only get some other teacher to take her place."

Smart.

Nell—What would you give to have such hair as mine?

Bell—I don't know—what did you give?—Boston Evening Transcript.

BUY WATCHES TO GET GOLD

Ingenious Scheme of Central Empires to Increase Their Supply of the Precious Metal.

It is an oddity of the world war that the jewelry trade is flourishing. A secret article in the Revue Suisse d'Exportation of Geneva gives an interesting view of this situation and also suggests a method by which the central empires undoubtedly have increased their gold supply—namely, the importation of gold jewelry to be melted in to bullion.

In the course of the crisis provoked by the European war we pass from one surprise to another, says the Revue. The belligerent countries, one after another, have imposed measures forbidding the importation of luxuries and watches. In spite of all these difficulties the orders, particularly for gold watches of medium price, are received in increasing numbers by our watchmakers, while those for watches of high and low prices are few.

The jewelry trade has passed through a prosperous period, which is not yet over. In fact, it is at its height. Everything went well so long as there were no abuses, but the time came when jewelry, especially heavy gold chains without much workmanship, began to be exported to the Orient. High prices were paid for these articles. Gold (fine) in Switzerland is valued at about $720 a kilo (2.2 pounds) and in the Orient, or at Vienna, it is quoted at $2,400 per kilo. There is, therefore, a considerable margin which allows a large profit to our manufacrurers and their agents, also to foreign merchants. These articles, however, are not all destined for Turkey. A great many of them find their way into the central empires.

When steps were taken to check this trade numerous orders for watches with cheap movements in heavy gold cases came flowing into the watchmaking centers. These orders were destined for Constantinople. The scheme was perfectly apparent, and government authorities took prompt measures to put a stop to the proceeding.

HOW BIG GUN WAS FOUND

French Artillery Officers Made Careful Measurements, and the Rest of the Matter Was Easy.

Careful measurements of two holes made by a single shell in passing through two awnings in a Paris factory enabled French artillery officers to locate the great German long-range gun by a feat of mathematics. The two awnings were several feet apart and the relation of one to the other gave perfect data on the course which the shell had taken as it approached the earth. After the apertures had been measured to the one-thousandth part of an inch and the direction of the shell's fall exactly established, the earlier career of the shell became a problem on paper. By applying the laws governing the flight of projectiles, and allowing for the wind, the state of the atmosphere and other considerations, French artillery officers were able to follow back the course of the shell to the mouth of the cannon in the forest of St Gobain, after which it was speedily demolished by French artillery.

Wisdom of Daylight Saving.

Who ever thinks nowadays that the sun is an hour behind the clock? Who ever tells himself it "really is five o'clock" when it is six? We go peaceably to bed when the clock tells us to; we arise by the same token; we eat, play and work by the Promethean instrument which, for war and common sense purposes, is stealing 60 golden minutes every day from the sun to benefit the human race. And nary a vulture of any description is tearing at the clock's vitals for filching the same.

Here and there is a little petty thievery such as the beginning of baseball games at 3.30 o'clock that used to begin at three o'clock; but the public is too busy with great work, and at present with the races and golf recreation to worry about that. In general, America is living by the clock as it should do, and the wisdom of the daylight savings law is a thousand times manifest.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Italians Save Wood Ashes.

Increased wood-burning and scarcity of chemical fertilizers are reported by Consul Haven of Turin to be turning attention in Italy to the saving and collection of wood ashes. Of the many constituents, the potash is of importance for fertilizing. The potash in wood ash averages 6 to 19 per cent, and the quantity per ton of wood ranges from one pound from spruce to 3.31 from oak and 8.6 from elm. A ton of wormwood yields 160.93 pounds of potash in 241.73 of ash; fumaria, 174.16 pounds of potash in 492.81 of ash.

Camouflage.

Mrs. Styles—You have a wonderful memory for dress, dear.

Mr. Styles—Well, I've seen a lot of it.

"You always seem to remember what I have worn. Do you recall what I had on the night you proposed marriage to me?"

"Why, yes; you had a sort of a foolish look on your face."

An Exerciser.

"Do you take exercise regularly?"

"Yes," replied Mr. Chuggins. "I crank the old flivver three or four times daily and repair a tire at least twice a week."

FOR SALE

Grocery store and building. Good foreign trade, located on thehill, reasonable price, also small farm of 20 acres with 5 room house, possession Nov. 1. $1650 cash, $2000 mortgage, located 1 mile from Rodgers school house.

Four room house with bath room, Oakland avenue near Fourth street, $2100.

Five room house with bath room, Shady avenue $2800.

Ten room double dwelling Meadow avenue $2900.

Five room house on 2 lots 40x120 each, Oakland avenue $1300.

Two good houses on Oakland avenue rented $30 a month, $2500.

Double dwelling Crest avenue, all accommodations, $5500.

Two houses Washington avenue 10 and 9 rooms, bath rooms $10000.

Best rooming house in town 10 rooms, garage $6500.

Eight room house all accommodations, Meadow avenue good location $6000.

2 vacant lots Meadow avenue $700 and $800.

1 vacant lot Crest avenue $600.

1 vacant lot Shady avenue $700.

Ten room house, bath room, Conrad avenue, Lockview. Bargain $3000.

Two small houses 4 and 3 rooms, Center avenue, Lockview $2,500.

Inquire E. J. Charles, Charleroi Savings and Trust Co.

Dr. John Porter

will attend to Dr. Hunters eye, ear, nose and throat practice in the Peoples Bank Building, McKeesport, daily (Sunday excepted) from 1 to 5 P. M.

With our country at war and prices going up we must all economize in every way possible and buy where we can get the best merchandise at the very lowest possible prices.

We can assure our customers that we are doing everything possible to keep our regular stock of merchandise at the very lowest prices.

EUGENE FAU

514-16 Fallowfield Ave.
CHARLEROI, PA.

Influence and Example.

The blossom cannot tell what becomes of its odor, and no man can tell what becomes of his influence and example, that roll away from him and go beyond his ken in their perilous mission.—Beecher.

Thoughts Mightier Than Armies.

Ideas go booming through the world louder than cannon. Thoughts are mightier than armies. Principles have achieved more victories than horsemen or chariots.—Rev. Dr. W. M. Paxton.

FOR SALE

5 room house & 3 lots, $2,500.

6 room house, $1,900.

5 room house & 3 lots, Lock No. 4, $1,600.

6 room house & bath, hot water heat, $4,400.

One farm 26 acres and all crops $3,200.

I. P. HEPLER
411 Fallowfield Avenue
CHARLEROI, PA.

Automobile War Time Service Policy

The War Economy Board has requested the discontinuance of free service and inspections, and the closing of repair shops, accessory stores and salesrooms, both for new and used cars, after 6:00 P. M. nights and all day Sundays and holidays, and the placing of the retail automobile business on a cash basis throughout the country, for the purpose of releasing mechanical and clerical help for war purposes.

The Recommendations of the War Service Committee of the War Economy Board of the Council of National Defense Includes:

1—The elimination of all unnecessary service requiring the use of mechanics whose services might be released for Government work.

2—Discontinuance of issuing free service coupon books and service cards that cause unnecessary work of a minor character, such as adjustments, etc., which the owner can make himself.

3—Closing of repair shops, salesrooms, accessory stores, parts departments, etc., at 6:00 p. m. daily and all day Sunday and holidays.

4—Designating one or more repair shops, according to size of cities, where emergency work nights. Sundays and holidays can be handled, releasing a large amount of labor now required to keep open a large number of repair establishments.

5—Establishing a cash basis for labor, parts, material and supplies, thus eliminating a lot of unnecessary work, reducing office help and maintenance, freeing this class of labor for war purposes.

6—Education of mechanics and the encouragement of apprentices in shops is urged in all cities where schools can be organized in garages, under the auspices of dealers, at night and at odd times.

7—Urge all owners to inspect their equipment, tools, tires, etc., for the purpose of being able to take care of minor repairs on the road themselves.

8—Save gasoline, oil, grease and material where possible. Enforce economical shop methods and reduce number of demonstrating cars used by salesmen.

In accordance With the Above Request

Commencing Monday, July 15, 1918

The Automobile Dealers of Washington County

will observe the War Department's recommendation as above noted, and the co-operation of all automobile owners is urgently requested.

Special Middy Blouses

All White And All Sizes

89c

BERRYMAN'S

CHARLEROI'S BUSY STORE

Special Wash Skirts and Wash Dresses

White Wash Skirts

in Linene, P. K. and Fancy figured materials. In regular and extra sizes

$1.98 and $2.98

Ladies Wash Dresses

Fancy striped materials, voiles and rep, slightly soiled, mostly light colors. Special Sale Price

$1.98

J. W. BERRYMAN & SON

CHARLEROI'S BUSY STORE

NORTH CHARLEROI

Mrs. Allen Forker is in a serious condition in the Charleroi Monessen hospital. Mrs. Forker had an operation a few weeks ago and was able to return home. But later it was found necessary to return to the hospital.

Elder W. M. Stone of Kirtland, O., will have charge of the services at the Latter Day Saints services on next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Arthur and Mrs. Samuel Winship were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Winship.

Richard Baldwin of Sharon, Pa., and Jas. McCougheny of Akron, O., Mrs. Rose of Pittsburg and Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Behanna of Eldora, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gaskill.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCann and children have returned from a visit with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. George Rumble of Greeensboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rumble of Brownsville visited friends here last week.

Mrs. Harry Kaylor and daughter Jane were Monessen visitors in Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sharpnack visited Mrs. Sharpnack's parents at Greensboro.

Master Robert Rockwell is visiting his father at McClellandtown.

Miss Mary Bradley of Parkersburg is the guest of her sister Mrs. Charles Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Maple and children visited their parents at Whitney

Mrs. William Jarvis has returned from a few days visit with friends in Pittsburg.

Miss Helen Flanniken is spending her vacation with relatives in Greensboro and Miss Mary, her sister is spending here vacation in Uniontown.

Mrs. George Kenyon has returned from a visit with friends in Ohio and Beaver.

Mrs. Charles Phillips and son Olen of Uniontown are guests of the former'sdaughter, Mrs. William Foulks and son Frank Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Flanniken of Greensboro were Sunday guests of their son Clyde Flanniken.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Staley and daughter of Pittsburg were guests of Mrs. Staley's parents Mrs. C. Baker.

Mrs. John Pinyard is sending a few days with friends in Duquesne and Pittsburg.

The Victory knitting club met at the home of Mrs. John Jeffrie on Thursday evening with 14 members and friends present. The evening was spent in knitting and a lunch was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be in 2 weeks at thehome of Mrs. John Pineyard.

Special Sale

We are hereby offering to the public the highest quality meats and groceries at 25 per cent saving.

PRIME BEEF

Steaks of all kinds	34c lb.
Soup Meat	21c lb.
Ground Beef	25c lb.

HOME DRESSED CALVES

Veal Chops	34c lb.
Veal Steak	41c lb.
Veal Stew	25c lb.

FRESH PORK

Pork Loins Whole	34c lb.
Pork Butts, no waste	30c lb.
Fresh Sausage, home made	29c lb.

SPRING LAMBS

Leg Lamb	34c lb.
Lamb Stew	22c lb.
Lamb Chops	33c lb.

SMOKED MEATS

Breakfast Bacon	45c lb.
Salt Side, Lean	34c lb.
Fat Back	30c lb.

OLEOMARGARINE

Nutola	30c lb.
Trow	30c lb.
Good Luck	34c lb
Lard	29c lb.
Eggs. Fresh Country	48c doz.

SPECIAL ON GROCERIES

Ketchup L & S brand	16c each
Mustard " "	10c "
All kinds of jellies, any flavor	13c "
P eserves, large jar	30c
Large can tomatoes	20c
Beans, navy, lima and roman	16c lb
Rice, good	12c lb.
Golden Prunes and Peaches evaporated	15c lb.
Silver Cow Milk, can	11c
C isco, can	29c
Soap P & G and Octagon	2 for 13c
Salad Oil, large bottle	30c
Our Wonder Coffee	28c lb.

Not cheap things but good things cheap

We give Parkes and S & H Stamps on Fresh meats

Peoples Cash Meat Market

521 McKean Ave. Charleroi, Pa.

CHARLEROI BOY ARRIVES SAFELY IN FRANCE

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Deiters of Lincoln avenue have received word of the safe arrival overseas of their son Sergeant Edward E. Deiters. He is a member of Co. G, 308th Ammunition Train and sailed for France about a month ago.

ANOTHER LOCAL BOY RECEIVES COMMISSION

Dr. Jacob Mitchell of the St. Frances Hospital, Pittsburg, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Mitchell of Crest avenue has received a commission as a firet lieutenant. Heleft the early part of the week for a New York training camp.

SEVERELY INJURED AT THE NEWELL YARDS

Allen Lyons aged about 19 years and employed as an air inspector at the Newell yards was badly injured this morning shortly after 6 o'clock. He had just gone to work and was inspecting air connections. when he was caught between cars, and run over, one of his legs being cut off near the body. He was taken to the McKeesport hospital.

The seasoned troops of the Hun have found others that are just a little bit superior. Note how quickly the Americans threw them back across the Marne on Monday, after the Germans had managed to cross the stream. If these were German shock troops, undoubtedly they were shocked by the rude manner in which they were received by the Yanks.

BOYS WANTED—We need the services of a number of Grammar School boys for permanent part-time work. The boys we select will be well paid and given an opportunity to earn, learn and advance. Apply to

George S. Mish Sons

509 M Kean Ave.

Charleroi, Pa

Violin Resin.

For violin resin, boil down Venice turpentine with a little water until a drop cooled on a piece of glass is of proper consistency. During the boiling cold water must be added from time to time. When sufficiently thick pour into cold water; knead well, and when cold break into pieces. Expose to sun until dry and transparent. Select the best clear brown resin, melt it in a clean basin, to nearly a boil, which will clear it of turpentine or other volatile oils. Pour in paper molds.

Changes in Modern Face.

The tendency of the modern face, according to Prof. James Keith, lecturer on anthropology at the Royal Institute, London, England, is to become wedge-shaped, with a longer, narrower and more prominent nose. Prominences above the eyes are disappearing, and the brow is becoming smooth and of an even contour. These changes in the human face, declared the scientist, are due to changes in methods of mastication from the earlier days of the human race.

Practice of Kind Words.

Just as you now play without the music and do not think what notes you strike, though once you picked them out by slow and patient toil, so if you begin of set purpose, you will learn the law of kindness in utterance so perfectly that it will be second nature to you and make more music in your life than all the songs the sweetest voice has ever sung.—Frances E. Willard.

What She Wanted.

"My ideal husband," said the girl who had been reading cheap novels, "must be a strong, silent man, full of grit and able to bear the heat and burden of the day without flinching—one who will not hear a word said about me and who will not utter an unkind word himself." "What you want is a deaf and dumb coal heaver," murmured her friend.

When Tin Decays.

The most remarkable example of allotropic disintegration of metals is perhaps that of tin. The investigation has shown that the disease can only occur in a temperature not exceeding 64.5 degrees Fahrenheit. Tin decay is, therefore, most prevalent in cold climates.

Reviewing a Kindness.

If you have done a kind thing, do not spoil it by talking too much about it. The people who are all the time drawing attention to their kindness and generosity, and the sacrifices they have made, are not the ones who can expect the most sincere gratitude.

Old and Good Song.

That very well-known ditty, "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow," is the remains of an old crusader's song of the twelfth century. It has come down to us with many variations and inestimable verbal appendages.

Nice.

"Some girls can't reach the straps in the cars." "That's true. This morning I let a very nice little girl stand on my foot and hang on to my coat button."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Much Tin in Austria.

Geologists have estimated that Austria's little-developed tin deposits could be made to supply about three-fourths of that country's needs of metal.

The Gleesome Theorist.

"How do you know Bliggings is absolutely inexperienced in agriculture?" "He keeps talking about what a simple thing it is to have a fine garden in your back yard."

Travels Far.

It is not possible to know how far the influence of any amiable, honest-hearted, duty-doing man flows out into the world.—Dickens.

To Be of Real Worth.

It is not enough to have earned our livelihood, . . . the earning itself should have been serviceable to mankind.—R. L. Stevenson.

Wrong Use of Brains.

"All some folks do wif deir brains," said Uncle Eben, "is to make believe dey's thinkin' when dey's only jes' loafin'."

Must Win Victories.

Victories that are cheap, are cheap. Those only are worth having which come as the result of hard fighting.—Beecher.

The World in Beauty.

Now every field and every tree is in bloom; the woods are now in full leaf, and the year is in its highest beauty.—Virgil.

Florida's Potential Wealth.

Florida contains about 4,000,000 acres of land waiting to be reclaimed by drainage.

Daily Thought.

Virtue is like a rich stone, best plain set.—Bacon.

MAY REMOVE THE BARBERRY PLANT

A crusade against the common or purple barberry as a breeder of rust and one of the most dangerous neighbors of wheat, must be undertaken in Pennsylvania this summer, observations as to the extent this plant is now affecting the grain being now in progress. Attention of the State Agriculture Game and other authorities was directed to the menace of the barberry by men in western states and a series of tests was started at Harrisburg.

The barberry is extensively used in Pennsylvania and adjoining states as an ornamental plant and in western states it was discovered that it was best known as the black stem rust, which from the barberry to the wheat fields and also has an affinity for some fifty varieties of grass. Many thousands of bushels have been lost through rust in this state.

State authorities have arranged with nurseryman to stop the common barberry and are recommending its removal.

WILL UTILIZE INLAND WATERWAYS

That the government proposes to look more carefully after water transportation is found in the fact that M. J. Sanders has been appointed Federal manager of the Mississippi and Warrior river waterways for the railroad administration and has been authorized to enter into contracts for the construction or chartering on equipment and thepurchase of supplies needed in operation on the rivers. Mr. Sanders has gone to St. Louis to look after the affairs of his appointment, and expresses the belief that expansion of traffic facilities on the Mississippi will be possible this summer.

Another feature in connection with inland waterways transportation is the announcement of the inauguration of a tri-weekly freight service by the barge canal across the state of New York, in conjuncton with connecting railroads and under jurisdiction of the Federal railroad administration. raffic will be maintained between New York and Buffalo and at rates approximately 52 per cent less than those of the railroad.

ADDITIONAL TEACHERS ELECTED FOR SCHOOLS

At a meeting of the Charleroi school board, held Tuesday evening, Miss Mary B. Underwood and Miss Adah McCague both of Monongahela and Mrs. Marie Whitehead Ramsey of Charleroi were elected to positions as grade teachers. Mrs. Romsey was a former teacher in the Charlroi schools, while Miss Underwood and Miss McCague are graduates of the Monongahela High and California Normal schools. Four positions in the grades yet remain to be filled by the Board, which hopes to make a selection very soon.

This latest of German offensives lasted five hours. In that short period of time t he allies jammed the brakes so tight on him that he could not move.

Classified

FOR SALE—On account of buying other property will sell my bungalow at 417 Oakland avenue. Five rooms bath, sun porch, cemeted cellar, laundry and hot air heater. Garage in rear for 2 cars. Lot 40x130. Inquire V. E. Reeves, Bell phone 515-J 36t6

FOR SALE—1916 Ford touring car. Good condition. One extra. new tire. Will demonstrate. Price $250. Inquire 218 Mail office. 34-t6p

FOR SALE—Leather top Elkhart buggy; like new. Will sell reasonable or trade for poultry. Herbert Goaziou, back of reservoir, Charleroi. 37-t2

FOR RENT—Nice airy room. Private family. Inquire at 835 Fallowfield avenue. 32-tfp

FOR RENT—Two furnished front rooms for gentlemen or light housekeeping. 134 McKean avenue. 37-t3

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms with the use of bath. Apply to Dr. Garbish, Greenberg Bldg., on Monday or Wednesday between 2 and 8 o'clock. afternoon. 33tf

FOR RENT— Furnished room suitable for two gentlemen. Apply 216 Mail office. 34-t6-p

WANED—Roomers and boarders, 319 Fifth street. 35-t3p

WANTED—Three unfurnished rooms in good locality. Send address to 219 Mail office. 35-t3p

WANTED—Small girl to help with housework. Wages, $3 per week. Apply to Mrs. H. Porter, 306 Washington avenue. 36-tt3

WANTED—Fifteen year old girl to help at camp for rest of summer. Mrs. Wikstrom Lock Four Hill. Bell phone 220. 36-t2

WANTED—Woman 30 to 45 years of age as housekeeper and companion family of six, no washing. Husband in army. Write No. 221 this office stating wages expected. 37tf

WANTED—White girl about 16 or 17 to assist with general housework. No washing. Apply 334 Washington avenue. 37-tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. No washing and no cooking. Apply 511 Washington avenue. 37-tf

Wanted--To lease house containing six to ten rooms, located in Charleroi or vicinity. Must have modern conveniences and be in good condition. Willing to pay good ren al, and a liberal bonus for possession before Sept. 1st.

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